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<u>CERTIFIED MAIL</u> RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

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RE: MUR 5824

Pennsylvania Democratic State Committee and Ann Bursis as Treasurer Lois Murphy for Congress and Katherine A. Rowe as Treasurer

Dear Mr. DeHaven:

On July 24, 2007, the Federal Election Commission reviewed the allegations in your complaint dated September 25, 2006, and found that on the basis of the information provided in your complaint, information provided by the respondents and publicly available information, there is no reason to believe the respondents violated the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended. Accordingly, on July 24, 2007, the Commission closed the file in this matter.

Documents related to the case will be placed on the public record within 30 days. See Statement of Policy Regarding Disclosure of Closed Enforcement and Related Files, 68 Fed. Reg. 70,426 (Dec. 18, 2003). A Statement of Reasons providing a basis for the Commission's decision will follow.

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The Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended, allows a complainant to seek judicial review of the Commission's dismissal of this action. See 2 U.S.C. § 437g(a)(8).

Sincerely,

Thomasenia P. Duncan General Counsel

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Assistant General Counsel